



PART V

SEASON REPORT, STATEMENT OF PRICES CURRENT, ETC.,

OFFICE OF THE STATE STATISTICIAN FOR MYSORE, BANGALORE.

PART IV—WEATHER AND CROP REPORT.

Model Form (D1).

Weekly Weather and Crop Report for the week ending Wednesday, the 21st October 1959.

No. of rainy days in the week	Rainfall in Millimetres				Condition of "					Remarks
	During the week		Since the beginning of the season*		Crop	Live-stock	Fodder	Water Supply		
	Actual	Normal	Actual	Normal						
(From 1-10-1959).										
1. Bangalore District.										
1	5.6	28.2	19.5	101.5	Fair except in Bangalore North Taluk where crops are in need of urgent rain.	Good	...	Available	Sufficient	...
2. Kolar District.										
...	2.8	21.5	17.6	78.6	Fair except in most of the taluks dry crops are withering for want of rain.	Good except at one village of Srinivassapur Taluk where "anthrax" is prevailing.	Do	...	Sufficient except in Gowribidanur Taluk.	...
3. Tumkur District.										
...	0.5	25.4	5.9	92.3	Dry crops are withering for want of rain in most of the Taluks.	Good	...	Do	Sufficient	...
4. Mysore District.										
1	14.3	37.4	31.9	99.1	Fair except in Hunsur Taluk where crops are withering for want of rain.	Good	...	Do	Do	...
5. Mandya District.										
1	16.0	34.1	25.4	102.7	Fair	Good	...	Do	Do	...
6. Hassan District.										
2	16.2	35.7	21.0	101.9	Fair	Good except at two Villages of Arsikere Taluk where "Blackquarter" is prevailing.	Adequate	...	Do	...
7. Chickmagalur District.										
...	10.5	35.7	26.0	110.9	Fair	Healthy	...	Do	Do	...
8. Shimoga District.										
1	12.1	29.0	17.6	96.6	Fair	Healthy	...	Do	Do	...
9. Chitradurga District.										
...	2.3	21.8	9.8	77.9	Fair except in Hosadurga, Chalakere and Hiriyur Taluks where dry crops are withering for want of rain.	Good except at one Village of Hosadurga Taluk where "Blackquarter" and other cattle disease at one village of Chalakere Taluk are prevailing.	Do	...	Do	...

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	Actual	Normal	Actual	Normal							
10. Bellary District.											
2	9.8	N.A.	225.7	N.A.	Fair except in Bellary, Mallapuram and Hadagalli Taluks where crops are withering for want of rain.	Good	...	Available except in Bellary and Mallapuram Taluks.	Sufficient	...	
11. Bijapur District.											
...	1.5	N.A.	35.7	N.A.	Fair except in Badami, Mudhol and Hungund Talukas where crops are withering for want of rain. Bajra crop is affected by pest in Bagewadi Taluk.	Good except in parts of Indi Taluk where "Black quarter" and H.B. diseases are prevailing.	...	Adequate except in Bagalkot Taluk.	Adequate	...	(d)
12. Belgaum District.											
1	27.6	N.A.	81.9	N.A.	Fair except in Ramdurg Taluk where crops are in need of urgent rain.	Good	...	Sufficient	Adequate except at one village of Ramdurg Taluk.	...	
13. Dharwar District.											
1	12.4	N.A.	17.0	N.A.	Crops are withering for want of rain in Mundargi, Gadag, Shirabati and Hirekerur Taluks.	Good except in some parts of Mundargi petha where cattle disease is prevailing.	...	Sufficient except in Mundargi Petha.	Adequate	...	(e)
14. North Kanara District.											
1	11.6	N.A.	57.0	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Sufficient	Sufficient	...	(f)
15. Gulbarga District.											
...	0.7	N.A.	128.6	N.A.	Fair	Good except for the prevalence of cattle disease at one village of Afzalpur Taluk.	...	Available	Do	...	(g)
16. Raichur District.											
...	1.1	N.A.	10.1	N.A.	Fair except at Sindhanur, Koppal and Manvi Taluks where crops are withering for want of rain.	Fair	...	Do	Available	...	(h)
17. Bidar District.											
...	Nil	N.A.	80.2	N.A.	Fair	Good except at one village of Aurad Taluk where cattle disease is prevailing.	...	Sufficient	Sufficient	...	(i)
18. South Kanara District.											
1	6.0	N.A.	58.8	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Available	Do	...	
19. Coorg District.											
1	17.1	N.A.	Particulars are not available.	N.A.	Fair	Good	...	Do	Do	...	

* The date of the beginning of the season may be indicated.

** EXPLANATIONS.

Remarks—(a) Refers to whole District except T. Narasipur and Mysore Taluks. (b) Refers to whole District except Arhagund Taluk. (c) Refers to whole District except Shikaripur Taluk. (d) Refers to 10 Taluks. (e) Refers to 11 Taluks. (f) Refers to 9 Taluks. (g) Refers to 6 Taluks. (h) Refers to 8 Taluks. (i) Refers to Bidar and Aurad Taluks. (j) Refers to 8 Taluks.

General Weekly Summary of Mysore State for the Week ending Wednesday the 21st October 1959.

Rainfall	Sowing/Transplantation	Condition of standing crops	Harvest	General progress of Agricultural operations	Water Supply	Fodder and pasture	Condition of cattle
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Bangalore District							
Insufficient (No rainfall in Channarayana, Bangalore South, Nelamangala and Ramenagaram Taluks).	.....	Standing crops are fair, but the crops in Kanakapura and Bangalore North Taluks require immediate rains.	.....	Weeding and other Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient	..... Sufficient	Generally healthy
2. Kolar District.							
Insufficient in Mulbagal, Srinivasapur Chintamani and Bagelipally Taluks (Nil in other Taluks).	Sowing of Paddy in Gowribidanur Taluk is under progress.	The crops are in need of immediate rains.	Samai in Kolar Taluk and Onions, Potatoes, Gidda-Ragi crops in Chikballapur Taluk are being harvested.	Agricultural operations are held up for want of rains in Kolar and Sidlaghatta Taluks.	Sufficient except in Bagelipally Taluk.	Do	Generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Anthrax" in Todigol village of Srinivasapur Taluk.
3. Tumkur District.							
There was no rainfall except in Chiknayakanahalli Taluk.	Transplantation of paddy is under progress in Sira Taluk.	Standing crops are withering for want of immediate rains.	.....	Agricultural operations are held up for want of rains in Sira Taluk.	Sufficient	Do	Generally healthy.
4. Mysore District.							
Sufficient and beneficial to the crops (Nil in H. D. Kote and Hunnur Taluks).	.....	standing crops are fair	Karragi crop is being harvested in Hunnur Taluk.	Agricultural operations are held up for want of rains in Hunnur and H.D. Kote taluks.	Do	Do	Do
5. Mandya District.							
Sufficient except in Maddur Taluk where the rainfall is insufficient (Nil in Nagamangala and Malavally Taluks).	.....	Standing crops are fair, but Ragi crop in Malavally Taluk is withering for want of rains.	Harvesting of Sugarcane is in progress in Pandavapura, Srirangapatna and Maddur Taluks.	Progressing in 4 taluks.	Do	Do	Do
6. Hassan District.							
Sufficient in Alur Taluk but insufficient in Hassan Taluk.	.....	Standing crops are fair	Jola, Giddaragi in Arsikere Taluk and Giddaragi, Jowar, Samai, Groundnut in Hassan Taluk are being harvested.	Progress is fair in 4 Taluks.	Do	Do	Generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Black Quarter" and H.S. disease in 2 villages of Arsikere Taluk.
7. Chikmagalur District.							
There was rainfall except in Tarikere, Kador and Chikmagalur Taluks.	Sowing of Bengalgram, Bili-jola, Coriander in Kador Taluk and of Coriander, Bengalgram in Tarikere Taluk is in progress.	Standing crops such as Ragi, Paddy, Sugarcane, Jola, Horadgram, Coffee, Areca and Coffee are in fair condition.	Sugarcane, Paddy in some parts of Chikmagalur Taluk and Mungari Jola, Areca in some parts of Tarikere Taluk are being harvested.	Progress in 5 taluks	Do	Do	Generally healthy.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
8. Shimoga District.							
Sufficient except in Honnali and Thirthahally Taluks where there was no rainfall.	.....	Standing crops are fair	Harvesting of Jola, Ragi and Paddy crops in Channagiri Taluk is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient	... Available	... Generally healthy
9. Chitradurga District.							
No rainfall except in Davanagere and Harihar Taluks.	Sowing of Hingari, Jola, Cotton and Horsegram in dry lands of Hiriyur Taluk is going on.	The crops are fair, but the crops in Challakere and Hosadurga, Hiriyur and Chitradurga Taluks are in need of immediate rains.	Harvesting of Jowar, Tili, G. Nut in Jagalur Taluk irrigated Ragi, Sugarcane and of Jola in Holakere Taluk is going on. G. Nut, Samai, Paddy in Davanagere Taluk and Jola in Hosadurga Taluk are being harvested.	Sowing is held up for want of rains in Challakere Taluk.	Do	... Do	... Generally healthy except for the prevalence of Cattle Disease in one village each of Challakere and Hosadurga Taluks.
10. Bellary District.							
No rainfall except in Bellary Taluk.	Sowing of Hingari crops are almost completed in all the Taluks except in Hadagally, Siruguppa and Bellary Taluks where sowing is still in progress.	Standing crops are fair except in Hadagally Taluk where the crops are fading.	Harvesting of Groundnut is in progress.	Agriculture operations are in progress.	Adequate	... Sufficient except in Mallapuram and Bellary Taluks, where scarcity for fodder is felt.	... Generally healthy.
11. Bijapur District.							
Beneficial to the standing crops in Muddebihal and Sindgi Taluks.	Sowing of Rabi crops such as Jowar, Wheat and Gram is in progress.	Bajra and Groundnut crops were reported to have failed in Bagalkot Taluk. Standing crops in most of the Taluks are in need of immediate rains.	Picking of G. Nut in Jamkhandi, Bagalkot Taluks and harvesting of Bajra in Badami Taluk, Bajra and G. Nut in Sindgi Taluk are in progress.	Sowing of Rabi area in Badami Taluk is held up for want of rains.	Do	... Adequate except in some villages of Bagalkot Taluk.	... Generally healthy except for the prevalence of "black Quarter" H.S. disease in Indi Taluk causing 10 attacks 10 deaths and 9 attacks 9 deaths respectively.
12. Belgaum District.							
Beneficial to the crops. (No rainfall in Athani and Ramdurg Taluks).	Sowing of Ragi, Jowar, Wheat in Gokak Taluk, Gram, Wheat in Chikodi Taluk and of wheat in Parasgad Taluk is in progress.	Standing crops are fair except in Ramdurg Taluk where standing crops are affected for want of timely rains.	Harvesting of G. Nut crop is nearing completion in Parasgad Taluk.	Sowing of Rabi, Jowar and Wheat is held up for want of rains in Ramdurg Taluk.	Sufficient except in one village of Ramdurg Taluk.	Sufficient	... Generally healthy
13. Dharwar District.							
Insufficient (NH in Gadag, Shirahatty and Mundargi Taluks).	Sowing of Wheat, Gram in Hubli Taluk and of Wheat in Kundgol and Navalgaon Taluks is in progress.	Standing crops are fair, but in some Taluks the crops are withering for want of rains. However immediate rains are needed for the standing crops.	Picking of G. Nut is in progress in most of the Taluks and Harvesting of Paddy in Dharwar Taluk has just commenced.	Sowing of Rabi crops is held up for want of rains in Ron, Gadag, Shirahatty and Hirekerur Taluks.	Adequate	... Sufficient except in Mundargi Taluk.	... Generally healthy except for the prevalence of Cattle disease in Muradi Village of Mundargi Taluk.
14. North Kanara District.							
Sufficient except in Supa taluk where the rainfall is excessive and harmful to the crops.	.....	The crops are fair, but the crops in Supa Taluk are damaged due to heavy rains during the week.	Harvesting of Paddy in some Taluks has commenced.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Adequate	... Adequate	... Generally healthy.

15. Gubarga District.							
No rainfall except in Afzalpur Taluk.	Sowing of Rabi crops is in progress in Yadgir, Aland, Gulbarga, Afzalpur and Chincholi Taluks.	Standing crops are fair	Harvesting of Til, Kangani in Afzalpur Taluk, Groundnut, Kangani in Yadgir Taluk and of Mash, Sesamum in Chincholi Taluk is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress in Afzalpur and Chincholi Taluks.	Sufficient	Available	Generally healthy, but cattle disease is reported in one village of Afzalpur Taluk.
16. Raichur District.							
No rainfall except in Gangavathy Taluk.	Sowing of Rabi Jowar in Deodurg, Manvi, Raichur Taluks and of Cotton in Lingasur Taluk is in progress.	Standing crops are fair except in 33 villages of Manvi Taluk and Kharif crops are badly affected for want of rains in Koppal Taluk.	Harvesting of G. Nut, Sesamum in Manvi Taluk is in progress and of G. Nut, Kangani in Raichur Taluk is nearing completion.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Sufficient	Available	Generally healthy
17. Bidar District.							
There is rainfall in Aurad Taluk.	Rabi sowing is in progress in Bidar Taluk.	Fair	Paddy is being harvested in Bidar Taluk.	Ryots are preparing lands for sowing in Aurad Taluk.	Sufficient	Sufficient	Generally healthy except for the prevalence of cattle disease in Medpalli village of Aurad Taluk.
18. South Kanara District.							
No rainfall in Puttur and Udipi Taluks.	Sowing and Transplantation of 11 Paddy Crop are in progress in Karkal, Udipi, Mangalore and Puttur Taluks and Sowing of gram and transplantation of Chillies in Puttur Taluk has commenced.	Fair	Harvesting of 1 Paddy is in progress.	Agricultural operations are in progress.	Adequate	Available	Generally healthy
19. Coorg District.							
Sufficient in Mercara Taluk.	Standing crops are fair	11 round picking of cardamom is in progress in Mercara and Somwarpet Taluks.	Progressing	Sufficient	Sufficient	Generally healthy.

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